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For: NEGATIVE ELECTRODE FOR NON-

AQUEOUS SECONDARY BATTERY AND NON-AQUEOUS SECONDARY BATTERY

USING THE SAME

Examiner: R. Alejandro

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated March 13, 2007, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes: Remarks.